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INCLUDING ECHO DISTURBANCES

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

In response to the Final Office Action mailed March 28, 2006 (Paper No./Mail Date 03242006) and in conjunction with the accompanying request for continued examination, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.

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